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## SALES AT VENDUE.

**On every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD,**  
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,  
**A VARIETY OF**  
**Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.**  
Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.  
All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.  
**P. G. MARSTELLER.**  
**Sales at Auction.**

**On Wednesdays and Saturdays, WILL BE OFFERED,**  
At the Auction Office on Union Street, Between King and Prince—  
An extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufacturers and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.  
The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.  
Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.  
**John Jackson & Co.**  
Auctioneers.  
November 27

**Exchange Office, Georgetown.**  
**I WILL** give the highest premium to Drafts at Sight, and Bank Notes, on the following places, viz.  
Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.—I will also give the highest premium for Drafts on New Orleans, Treasury Notes and Specie.  
All kinds of Western Bank Notes bought and sold.  
All kinds of Stocks and Bills of Exchange bought and sold.  
Notes, Drafts, and Interest collected and remitted for a small commission.  
Persons travelling to any part of the United States may be supplied with suitable Funds.  
Please to enquire at my Exchange and Broker's Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown.  
**Romulus Riggs.**  
June 1

**Burr Mill Stone Manufacture**  
**John S. Brown and Co.**  
Respectfully inform the Public that they continue the MANUFACTURE of BURR MILL STONES, on the corner of Patrick and Cameron-streets, in the town of Alexandria, where they are ready to receive any orders with which they may be favored, and will execute them with all despatch and in the best manner.  
They have received an assortment of  
**Bolting Cloths**  
Of good quality, and intend keeping a constant supply.  
September 23

**Bolting Cloths.**  
The subscriber has just received by the General Ligan, Captain Weston, from Amsterdam, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Mr. James Anderson.  
**Amos Alexander.**  
October 6

**For Rent or for sale on a long credit**  
The subscriber will rent, or sell upon the most accommodating terms, the House and Lot, whereon he at present resides. The House is large, convenient, and finished in a superior style. The Lot, consisting of two acres, is in the highest state of cultivation as a garden, abounding in the most choice fruits, shrubs, &c. Possession can be given about the 1st of December.  
He will purchase Dry Cows.  
**Aug J. Smith.**  
Nov 20

**ALMANACS,**  
English and German,  
For the Year  
**1817,**  
Wholesale and Retail—for sale by  
**James Kennedy & Son**  
October 18

## NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Mechanic's Bank of Alexandria, are hereby notified, that an election for fifteen Directors, for the ensuing year, will be held at the court house, in this town, on Monday the 10th of March next, at ten o'clock, A. M.

By order of the President and Directors,  
**William Paton, jun.**  
Cashier.  
February 8

**Bacon Hams, &c.**  
From eight to ten thousand weight first quality Bacon Hams fit for family use, Also, 200 boxes, Nova Scotia Herring, very nice—for sale by  
**Wm. Garner & Co.**  
January 21

**QUIGLY'S**  
**Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.**  
THE subscriber has received a large supply of BURR BLOCKS direct from France, and has commenced making Burr Mill Stones, at his shop, upper end of King street, near the store of Mr. James Anderson, where he can on a short notice, furnish Stones of any size, warranted equal to any in the United States and on the most reasonable terms.  
Michael Quigly.  
April 6

**Lewis Hipkins & Co.**  
Have imported in the ships Boston and Gen Smith,  
A Quantity of  
**HARD WARE, CUTLERY, &c.**  
which, with their former stock on hand, renders their assortment very complete.  
They have also on hand GERMAN KNIVES, and  
**Swedish Bar Iron,**  
all of which will be sold low.  
September 26

**WHISKEY.**  
**LIVELY & HILL,**  
Have just received and offer for sale, 50 barrels rectified Whiskey—old.  
February 7

**Merchants Bank Paper**  
I will receive a few hundred dollars of Merchants Bank Paper in payment for dr. goods, at 50 cents to the dollar.  
**Jonathan Scholfield.**  
February 7

**For Liverpool.**  
The prime, fast sailing ship NEW JERSEY, Capt. A. Hodgkinson; having part of her cargo engaged, will take freight on moderate terms.  
Apply to  
**Brown and Wilson,**  
or  
**Joseph Dean.**  
January 6

**COMBS**  
**Thomas Mount.**  
Confines to have Combs manufactured from tortoise shell and horns. He has just finished about one hundred & fifty dozen tortoise shell Combs, A newest fashion; which, with a very general assortment of combs of all descriptions and a very handsome collection of  
**Fancy Goods, Hardware and Cutlery.**  
Inferior to none in the district of Columbia, he offers for sale on reasonable terms, at his Fancy Hardware Store on King street.  
Editors of the National Intelligencer are requested to insert the above three times and send their account to this office.  
February 14

**Notice.**  
Whereas I did by an assignment date 26th November, 1816, transfer & assign to Bryan Hampton and Co. and Thomas Janney & Co. for certain purposes therein mentioned, all my books, rights, credits, etc.  
Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to me by bond, note or book account, that the same is required to be paid to John D. Brown or Robert Harrison, who alone are authorized by the joint assignees to receive the same.  
**William Hatton.**  
December 5

**Gunpowder.**  
The subscribers have just received 20 kegs English Gunpowder, tower proof, from H. F. to F. Also cannon, rifle and canister. Sportsmen are invited to try the quality.  
**R. and J. Mandeville.**  
December 20

**Just Published,**  
**And ready for Delivery,**  
**THE MONTHLY VISITANT,**  
No. 7.  
Feb 5

**PUBLIC UTILITIES**  
**ROMULUS RIGGS**  
At the Exchange and Broker's office, Bridge Street, Georgetown, has got his establishment so arranged that he is at all times prepared to furnish money in any part of the U. States; persons holding funds they wish to exchange can be accommodated by forwarding them to his office; all those holding notes of any of the banks of the District in any part of the U. States, by sending them to this office, may have them put into the currency of the neighbourhood.  
The highest premium paid for drafts and bank notes on Boston, N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia; also for United States Bank notes, Treasury notes and specie. Holders of unchartered bank notes, from any part of the U. States, can have them put into specie or any thing they may wish; all kinds of western bank notes, bought and sold—All kinds of stock bought and sold, transfers made, dividends, notes and drafts collected and remitted for a small commission; persons abroad having claims against houses in the district, can have them punctually attended to and settled. As there are many persons who have money lying idle, who would wish to put it to interest, such persons can have six per cent per annum for it, for any time not less than sixty days, and not longer than twelve months; interest paid every sixty days if required, and principle when demanded by giving three days notice, no sum less than one hundred dollars received on interest. The best security given. Office kept open for business from eight o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening.  
January 28

**R. & J. MANDEVILLE**  
Have just received, and offer for sale, 70 barrels whiskey  
10 lbs 1st and 2d quality whiskey  
10 puncheons rum  
20 bags pimento and pepper  
25 do green coffee  
100 lbs. S. F. Indico  
100 do Louisiana do  
60 boxes Spanish cigars  
10 kegs manufactured tobacco  
1000 bushels Liverpool coarse salt  
200 reams writing paper  
75 do wrapping do  
25 kegs Brandy wine gunpowder  
20 do British do  
Together with a general assortment of Groceries.  
**N. B. Family Flour as usual.**  
Dec 24

**Little River Turnpike Comp'y**  
At the annual meeting of the Stock holders in the Little River Turnpike Company, in the town of Alexandria, on the 15th January 1817—it was  
**Resolved,** That for the purpose of encouraging the use of broad wheeled wagons on the Little River Turnpike Road that all waggons the breadth of the wheels whereof shall be 6 inches, shall be permitted to pass the gates on said road toll free for the term of 2 years, and all waggons whose wheels shall be the breadth of 5 inches, shall be permitted to pass toll free for the term of 18 months—also, all waggons the breadth of the wheels whereof shall be 4 inches and under 5 inches, shall be permitted to pass on paying half toll for the term of 3 years from the time they shall pass the respective gates, which shall be specially notified by the gate keeper, who shall notify the treasurer of the same. This regulation shall be extended to all persons who shall avail themselves of it within three years from this date.  
**PHILIP NELSON, Chairman.**  
January 17

The editor of the Winchester Gazette, is requested to insert the above six months, and send his account to this office.

**To RENT,**  
The Store and Dwelling on Union-street, formerly occupied by the subscriber, and lately by Capt. Lawrence. It is one of the best Stands in Alexandria for the Grocery Business, and as such has been used for many years.  
Apply to  
**JACOB LEAP.**  
January 31

**IN COUNCIL, February 11.**  
The following persons were appointed commissioners for holding elections in the different wards on Tuesday the 4th day of March next, for members to serve in the common council for the ensuing twelve months, viz.

W Harper sen	At Boardman's and
J T Brooks	Neale's tavern, for the
M Robinson	first ward
Colin Auld	At the council cham-
W Bartleman	ber for 2d ward
John Longden	
John Roberts	At Indian Queen
C Neale	tavern for 3d ward
James Douglass	
T Lawrason	At Mr Gird's, corner
A Moore	of Duke and St. Asaph
J G Vowell	streets, for 4th ward
Teste,	I. P. Thompson, cc.

**FOR SALE.**  
A tract of Land containing 337 acres, more or less, lying on Occoquan Bay in the county of Fairfax and state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Robert I. Thompson and William Mason. It is presumed those desirous of purchasing will view the land and for themselves judge of its peculiar advantages. One third of the purchase money will be required in hand, the balance at 12, & 18 months, with a deed of trust to secure the payments.  
Thompson F. Mason.  
December 14.

**EXCHANGE**  
On Boston at three days sight for six thousand dollars, and on Philadelphia at thirty days sight for fifteen hundred dollars, for sale by  
**J. G. LADD & Co.**  
Jan 20

**Old Wine, &c.**  
The subscriber has added to his former stock four pipes of high flavored 6 year old wine from the house of Scott, Pringle Veitch & Co. which he solicits a trial of.  
**IN STORE,**  
L. P. Madeira wine in pipes, half pipes and quarter casks from each of the most celebrated houses in the island.  
Port L. P. Teneriffe and Sherry wines  
Old Cognac Brandy, Holland gin; with a general assortment of liquors and groceries, for sale at reduced prices, by  
**JOHN H. CREASE.**  
Also ten barrels Rye Flour.  
February 5. d4teot

**Butter and Clover Seed.**  
30 firkin best Barb county butter & 75 bushels warranted clover seed,  
Received and for sale by  
**Thomas Janney & Co.**  
Feb 1

**India Goods and Rum.**  
**John G. Ladd & Co.**  
Have just received by schooner New Packet and sloop Henry, and will sell on liberal terms,  
15 lbs and 14 barrels N E rum  
6 baies Bourbon garralls  
2 do Luckipore baltas  
1 do Chilbilly do  
1 do Omercolly do  
1 do fine do  
1 do Mow sannans  
1 do Auzengen mamoody.  
Dec 17

**NOTICE.**  
Whereas I did by assignment dated 31st Jan 1817, transfer and assign to Isaac Robbins for certain purposes therein mentioned all my books, rights, credits, etc.  
Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to me by bond, note or book account, that the same is required to be paid to Isaac Robbins the assignee above mentioned who alone is authorised by me to receive the same  
**Daniel Cawood.**  
Feb 5

**Alexandria, November 27**  
Was committed to the jail of this county as a runaway, a Negro Woman who says her name is Rosetta Jones, and that she is free and was born in Lancaster county, state of Virginia; she is about 38 years of age; dark complexion and lived in this town about 3 months.  
The owner, if any, is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of as the law directs.  
**James Campbell,**  
Keeper of the jail for Washington  
Boyd, Marshal  
**To hire for one year,**  
A likely Mulatto Man about 21 years of age; he is active and strong Enquire at this Office  
Feb 1

**Philadelpha Money**  
Bank Notes of Philadelphia and Baltimore, for sale by  
**Mandeville & Latmour.**  
Dec 27

**Lawrason & Fowle,**  
Have for sale, received per the schooner Buffalo, from Portland—  
15 hogsheads } Muscovado Sugars  
23 barrels }  
1 box white Havana ditto  
15 hogsheads retailing molasses  
4 ditto New England rum  
12 tons Russia iron assorted  
50 tons plaster Paris.  
**For Freight,**  
The schooner Buffalo, Captain Lee; is a first rate vessel, carries about 750 barrels, will be ready in four days to take a cargo on board, and take freight for the West Indies or coastwise Apply as above.  
January 18

**TO LET,**  
OR FOR SALE,  
The House lately occupied by William Vool, situated on Royal street, south of King street, three doors below the office of Samuel Snowden. Possession may be had the first of February.  
Also, the House I at present occupy, to the east of the above. For particulars enquire of  
**Joseph Ingle, Alexandria.**  
January 23

**A few Shares of Mechanics' Bank Stock, for sale.**  
Apply to the Printer.  
Jan 2

**For Boston & Portland.**  
The sch'r Buffalo, Capt. Lee, will sail as soon as the ice permits and take some freight if offered immediately. Apply to  
**Lawrason and Fowle.**  
January 23

**Was Found.**  
On Sunday night, near the Bank of Potomac, by a servant,  
**A Merino Shawl,**  
Which the owner may have by applying to the Printer, describing the same, paying for this advertisement and leaving a small gratuity to the finder.  
February 13

**Was Stolen**  
From my Store on King street, on Saturday night last, by a negro boy,  
**ONE** pair of olive colored pantaloons; the young gentleman who attended the store immediately pursued the thief and overtook a negro man with a bundle which he dropped and made his escape. On examination of which it was found to contain a new plaid handkerchief and a loaver of sugar, which the owner can have by proving property and paying the expense of this advertisement.  
Jonathan C. May.  
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**SAMUEL SNOWDEN,**  
ROYAL STREET, ALEXANDRIA.

Daily Gazette 7 Shillings.  
Country Gazette 5 Shillings.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22

### Fire Insurance.

The Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, continue to insure buildings, furniture, merchandise and other property, from loss by fire. The condition and terms, may be learned upon application at their office, next door to the City Hotel, and will be found as moderate & equitable as those of any other company.

The rates of premium are calculated in reference to the actual risk of property, and are as low as 25 cents per 100 dollars per annum for hazards of the best description, increasing proportionally for risks of a more hazardous nature. Insurances may be made for one or more years, or shorter periods.

Columbian Insurance Office, Feb. 20  
dewlatf  
Feb 20

### NOTICE

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a Boot Factory on South Fairfax street, three doors from King street; where he has on hand a handsome assortment of Baltimore manufactured Boots, short and long, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms.

Gentlemen are requested to call and view his assortment.

N. B. Orders promptly executed and attended to by

Robert S. Boggs,  
February 20 dSteeff

### Independent Blues

You will parade 22d inst. at 10 o'clock A. M. 22d inst. and join the uniform companies of the 1st Regiment, in celebrating the anniversary of the day which gave to our country her illustrious Washington. By order of the captain,

N. LANGTRY.  
February 19

### Company Orders.

The anniversary of the birth day of the illustrious Washington, should find every American soldier at his post, honoring the day that produced the father of his country. The Washington Guards will therefore appear on the parade, (Market Square) 22d inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. precisely. Cartridges furnished in the ranks.

Thomas Sangster, captain.  
February 20 St

### ATTENTION!

The Members of the Alexandria Artillery are requested to parade at their gun house, on Saturday morning the 23d inst. at six o'clock, to usher in the Birth Day of WASHINGTON, the Father of his country, by the discharge of cannon.

N. B. They are likewise requested to parade at the same place at ten o'clock, in complete uniform, to join in the celebration of the day.

By order,  
P Rhoades, sergeant.

February 20

### Wood for Sale

From 5 to 500 cords of Wood for sale, already cut and corded, within 5 miles of the town of Alexandria. Apply to the Printer.

February 20 St

### NOTICE.

THE Members of the Washington Society of Alexandria, are hereby notified, that a regular meeting of the said Society will be held at Mr. M. Laughlin's City Hotel, on Saturday next the 23d inst. at half past 10 o'clock, A. M. The Society will move in procession at 12 o'clock, to Christ Church, where an Oration will be delivered by William Sholto Stuart, Esq. one of its members.

By order,  
G. DENEALE, Sec'y.

Feb 15

### BIRTH-NIGHT BILL.

The Anniversary Ball in commemoration of the Birth of the late illustrious WASHINGTON, will be on Monday Evening the 24th inst. in consequence of the 23d occurring on Saturday.

Information of any omissions in the distribution of tickets, will be thankfully received by the Managers.

February 21 St

### CIGARS.

Just received and for sale,  
Ten thousand first quality Spanish CIGARS.

Wm Deconzhn.  
Feb 21 St

### Merchants' Bank Paper,

[At Fifty Cents for the Dollar]  
Will be received in payment for tickets in the Potomac and Shenandoah Lottery, if applied for soon.

B. GRAY.  
January 21

## Theatre.

For the Benefit of the Poor.

On SATURDAY EVENING Feb. 22.

Will be presented,

The favorite Comedy of  
**SPEED THE PLOUGH.**

### SONGS,

"Bay of Biscay O!"  
"A Frog he would a wooing go."

### RECITATION,

Alexander's Feast,

or,

The Power of Music

To which will be added, the admired

FARCE, of

The Bee-Hive.

Box, One Dollar—Pit, Seventy five Cts.

Children, Half Price.

Curtain rises at six o'clock.

Tickets to be had at the Theatre, at Robert Gray's, and at this Office.

Smoking is not allowed in the theatre, the theatre will be made comfortably warm.

February 20 St

### CLOVER SEED.

A small supply, for sale by

JAS. & JACOB DOUGLAS

January 30 cost & lawry

### New Publications

And other valuable Books,

Lately received and for sale by

James Kennedy and Son.

### ELAUSTAUS Classical Tour thro'

Italy, 2 vols

Laurens and's travels through Greece,

Palestine, etc

Ditto recollections of England and

America, etc.

Ditto beauties of christianity

Ali Bey's travels in Europe, Asia and

Africa

Mawe's ditto in Brazil

Humboldt's ditto in South America

Galt's ditto in Abyssinia

Morier's ditto in Persia and Armenia

La Baume's narrative of the Russian

campaign

Memoirs and campaigns of Bernadotte

Philippar's memoirs of General Moreau

Memoirs of the Marchioness La Roche

Jaquelin

Galt's life of Benjamin West with a

portrait

Charnock's ditto of Lord Nelson

Havley's life of Cosmo

Hills ditto of Doctor Blair

Ramsay's ditto Washington

Johnson's lives of the poets

Murphy's life of Garrick

Memoirs of Elizabeth Carter

Hookes life of Catharine 2d

Caves lives of the apostles & evangelists

Rollins ancient history with and without

atlas

Lempriere's biographical dictionary

classical ditto

Edwards's history of the West Indies,

and atlas

Cibbons ditto of Rome

Goldsmith's ditto of ditto, calf, gilt

ditto ditto of Greece ditto

Murphy's translation of Tacitus, ditto

Beloe's ditto of Herodotus ditto

Rassay's history American revolution

Bozmann's ditto of Maryland

Stoddard's account of Louisiana

avers travels in South America

De Warvilles ditto in the United States

Mellish's ditto in ditto

Morse's universal geography and atlas

ditto ditto gazetteer of the Eng

lish and Welsh continent

Brookes's ditto ditto

Anecdotes of Frederick the great

Plutarch's lives, calf gilt and plain

Sterne's works

Elegant Miniature Editions of the fol

lowing:

British Theatre in 33 volumes

Works of Shakespear, Thompson, Gold

smith, Lord Byron, Burns, Walter

Scott, Cowper Dryden's Virgil, Homer's

Iliad, by Pope, Zimmerman on

Solitude, Salinagundi

ALSO.

Bibles and common prayer books of all

sizes and prices, Watts's psalm and

hymns, Dwight's Rippens, & Me

thodist collections, Smith and Little's

psalmody

School and classical books of every de

scription, and a large assortment of

children's books, with engravings both

colored and plain.

February 19 cost

### For Rent,

That commodious and pleasantly situated Dwelling House, at present occupied by W D Simms, Esq. Attached to the house is a large yard and a very productive garden: also every convenient out building. Possession may be had immediately. Apply to

Margaret Chapin.

Feb 6 St

### Cash for Furs.

The highest Cash Prices will be given by the subscriber for all kinds of Furs.

Samuel D. Harper.

January

Richmond, Feb. 19.

### Virginia Legislature.

Yesterday, in the house of Delegates, the Select committee, to whom was referred the Senatorial bill with amendments, reported a bill upon that subject, which is similar in many of its features to the original bill, which passed the House. The amended bill of the committee was opposed by Mr. Hay; the Ayes and Noes were called for; when the bill passed, Ayes 75, Noes 43.

This bill, being sent up to the Senate for their concurrence, came before that body. The question was taken on agreeing to the amendments proposed by the house of Delegates, and carried by the casting vote of the Speaker. So this bill is now the law of the land.

It will be recollected, that this bill not only proposes to make a new arrangement of the counties into Senatorial districts in order to equalize the representation in that body, but also proposes to revalue the lands of the Commonwealth, so as to equalize the land tax.

It is beyond all comparison, the most important measure which has passed the Legislature during its present session.

The House of Delegates were engaged during the remainder of its session upon the School-bill.

From the Boston Palladium Feb. 15

### From Calcutta.

We have been favoured with Calcutta papers to the 27th Sept, received by the ships, Union & Friend ship.

Mr. Sears, who came passenger in the Friendship, arrived at the Viceyard, informs us, that they spoke the Marmion, which left Isle of France Nov. 20, and kept co. two days; was informed by her commander, that there had been a great fire at that place; but it blowing very fresh did not learn any particular loss.

The Magicienne frigate, bearing the flag of his Excellency Rear Admiral Sir R. King, K. C. B. commander in Chief of the British squadron in the East Indies, had arrived at Madras, from England.

The Bacchus sloop of war had arrived at Calcutta, from England, with 500,000 dollars in specie on board.

No war of importance existed in India at the last dates.

We understand that a very large quantity of cotton was shipping at Calcutta for England.

### CALCUTTA, Sept. 5

We have received letters for Amboyna to the 18th of May. They give a very distressing account of the great storm which visited that island on the 15th of April. It suddenly commenced about ten at night, and soon blew with such tremendous violence that not a single vessel in the harbour could keep to her anchors. Consequently much confusion ensued and considerable damage was done to the mallecraft—a great part of which drifted, and getting entangled, soon sunk and disappeared.

But the injury to the shipping was of little consequence, when compared with the devastation caused by the hurricane amongst the spice tree plantations. Not a grove of Nutmeg or clove trees escaped—and of the former it is said that 1/3 were thrown to the ground—while of the latter no fewer than 24,000 were utterly destroyed. It being known that neither of those valuable shrubs grow to such maturity as to be capable of producing fruit, within a shorter period than seven or eight years, it is evident, that the deficiency in the quantity of cloves and nutmegs annually produced, necessarily resulting from the destruction of the old plants, will enhance the price of spices in the European market, for some years to come.

### September 12,

In consequence of the determined hostility of the Aborigines of New South Wales to the British Settlers, the frequent depredations and murders, military excursions have been made from Sydney into the country against the natives. Sydney has become populous, and is approximating to the manners and embellishments of European Cities. It already has its Hyde Park, its Malls and public buildings.

A new voyage of discovery has been made round Van Diemen's Land. Several new harbours and rivers have been found,

The Christian Missionaries are succeeding in their perfect satisfaction at the Society Islands. The natives of Otahite generally abjured idolatry and became peaceable among themselves. Several new vegetables have been added to the numerous production of these fruitful islands.

### September 26.

In Calcutta and the lower divisions of Bengal the quantity of rain this season has been superabundant while in the Upper Provinces they have had long and painful droughts.

In Bengal the whole of the indigo has not been got in, except in some parts of Pooreea, where they are still manufacturing a little. The hopes entertained that a full crop in the Upper Provinces would make good the deficiencies experienced in the low lands, have totally failed. From the drought an alarming scarcity of the rice crops was also apprehended.

### September 27.

The weather has become cool and pleasant within the last few days, the extreme heat that prevailed before occasioned many casualties among the natives. Three have perished, overcome by the heat.

Sickness continues among the troops at Cawnpore. Above 200 men of the 87th regiment are stated to be in the hospital. Capt. J. Innes and Lt. Gunn, of the 66th have deceased.

A Prince of Wales Island Gazette

of July 27, states that a storm at Beemgell has blown many houses into the sea, and numerous prows, and killed above 200 individuals. It is reported a large mass of rock about 6 fathom long has recently made its appearance near Tamboul, in the Madras sea. The vicinity of Tamboul is subject to volcanic eruptions.

In consequence of the frequent occurrence of canine madness, the Government of the P. of W. Island issued orders for the destruction of all dogs going a large—and nearly 800 had been destroyed.

### BOMBAY, Aug 14

Letters from Anjar in Cutch, July 18, mentions a storm that had prevailed for the four preceding days. The whole country was inundated, and one village completely ruined being covered with a bed of sand nearly a foot deep. Hundreds of houses have fallen down, and about 20 feet of the wall of the town of Anjar. At Mandavie the damage has been very extensive; a considerable part of the suburbs have been washed away, and the shipping of the port have sustained considerable loss, about 200 souls have been thrown from their wrecks. No doubt the superstition of the natives will attribute this calamity as the consequence of their connexion with us.

### Sidney N. S. Wales, June 1.

Ship Betsey, Goodenough, of this port, has been lost on N. End of New Zealand. Only 8 persons escaped of 27, the rest being reported to be cut off by the natives.

It is now very difficult to procure a cargo of pork at Otahite as the women are allowed to eat it as well as the men, which was formerly not the case.

### From the Federal Republican.

Amongst all the opposers of Washington's administration, Mr. Giles stood pre eminent. He said that he felt not the slightest regret at gen. Washington's departure from office—that he believed the government of the United States could go on very well without him; on another occasion he said that to vote for a complimentary address to the president, when he had always opposed the principal point of his administration would be to write scoundrel on his forehead; in short from the time that Giles entered the public office until his departure from it, there was not one who with such remorseless and exterminating violence pursued the federal party. He had more talents than any of his confederates, all of which he exercised in the manner we have mentioned—Jefferson and Madison found him their most zealous supporter. If these were the honest convictions of his heart at that time; if he did believe that the strong and paramount claims of honor demanded such employment of his faculties, he was justified before God and man for the course of conduct which he had adopted—he was justified in believing that Washington was an enemy to his country, or an absurdly equally as great that Jefferson and Madison were patriots of the most dazzling brilliance—that

the French revolutionists a fought for freedom—that it was our duty to confederate with those old blooded, tiger minded, ferocious murderers of our revolutionary benefactor—that Jefferson's embargo, non-intercourse, non importation and non exportation laws were called for by motives of sound policy; all these Mr. Giles was warranted in believing if such were the honest convictions of his heart. He has now past that period of life when worldly honors and emoluments sparkle with fascinating allurements—his grey hairs and sinking limbs proclaim him on the suburbs of the empire of death—such an hour when office and power and popularity have lost their charms and fascinations, we may well suppose that the faulting voice speaks the true sentiment of his heart. Mr. Giles has now no motive to derive his fellow men—if he does attempt to practise deception, he must now attempt to practise it on a heart searching God. Now let the democracy, those who have applauded Mr. Giles in the loudest strain—those who have believed in his singular infallibility—who have made his name their idol and their toast, hear him while he speaks from the margin of the grave—let them hear what their former champion says now. The following are extracts from the Richmond Enquirer and were written by Mr. Giles to a member of the senate of Virginia, on the proposition for calling a convention to amend the constitution of Virginia:

"Distrust then for an instant your own theories. Deliberate well upon them. Understand them in their moister bearings to the traction of a hair. Their importance demands at least this at your hands. Your bold and dangerous enterprise, which puts at hazard the dearest rights of the people, renders this obligation imperative. And in the meantime, pay some decent respect to the voice of experience. Why should not experience be heard upon this, as upon all other questions after truth?"

"Politics of all others, is a science, the most intricate and inscrutable of course, in politics, where experience can be resorted to, wise men would cling to, perhaps as the only certainty as the best test of truth. Philosophers, have for a long time puzzled themselves with attempts, to discover in the moral world, some invariable and never failing standard, or test of truth. Very whimsical criteria, have been fixed on by some of them; but for a weak mortal, with very limited uncertain powers of mind, it seems to be agreed, that experience is the best and safest resort, and the confidence in its result should be a way be increased, in proportion to the difficulties attending the investigation of the subject to which it is applied, and the uniformity of such results, after frequent trials, and the long duration of them."

"But the human mind is at all times delighted with indulging in a theorist of its own creating. No occupation is more general amongst mankind, none more delightful in its execution, than that which sometimes figuratively described, as to occupation of building castles in the air. Hence the false theories, which have done so much mischief in the world, none promise to add more to this general scene, than the political theories now afloat, & more in Virginia, at this moment than any where else. Theories, however abundant every where, and in every that that appertains to human concerns. Look at the theories in religion; and consider their effects, in sending hecatombs of human victims out of this world, for agreeing to save their own souls, and going to the next, according to the dispensation prescribed for them! Look at the finding out longitudes, perpetual motion, and Redheffer's commentary upon the latter. See the thousands of theories in the medical art. Consider how many human beings have been sent out of this world within a few years, in consequence of the theory that two diseases could not exist in the human system at the same time, & inferring that as mercury in sufficient quantities would so fully produce one disease, it would necessarily destroy the one existing in the system; and then the disease produced by the mercury, and itself be destroyed, and thereby the patient would be saved; but nine times out of ten, the remedy first destroyed the patient."

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theorist amongst us, is more certain of  
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were the patriotic zealots of France, in  
their grand discovery of the perfectibil-  
ity of man? A conception so flattering to  
human nature, as to silence the voice of  
truth, and frown down every effort of fair  
investigation. From perusing one false  
theory after another, what has France  
suffered? and to what is she now reduc-  
ed? Nay, in the very zenith of the prac-  
tice, under this false theory, what an in-  
consistent spectacle did Republican  
France exhibit to the world! At the same  
time proclaiming the perfectibility of man,  
and daily sending to the guillotine, hun-  
dreds of her wisest and best citizens,  
for human imperfections; under accus-  
ation, evidencing still greater human im-  
perfections. Pause! reflect, make as  
sure doubly? sure, before you put at  
hazard the best government in the world,  
the vain hope of making it better."

These are the doctrines constantly  
maintained by the federal party, and  
were as constantly assailed by Mr.  
Giles, when he was running the giddy  
chance of popular applause; this very  
France, revolutionary France, which he  
now holds up to his countrymen for  
abhorrence, was then the real or pre-  
tended idol of his heart and the theme  
of his incessant panegyrics. With-  
out that obloquy has he loaded the fed-  
eral party for opposing the French re-  
volution which he now so solemnly  
warns his countrymen against! He  
tells in all but express terms the fed-  
eral party that they were right and  
that he was wrong, notwithstanding  
he has persecuted them with such ex-  
terminating rapacity. Instead of all  
these novelties, he recommends us to  
follow what the federal party have  
never ceased to recommend, whether  
in or out of office, experience. On  
the subject of complaints relative to  
local grievances, Mr. Giles thus ex-  
presses himself:

"The variety of arguments drawn from  
the catalogue of grievances growing out  
of the system of taxation, such as con-  
tracting a war tax upon a calf with that  
on a young negro slave, &c. are design-  
edly pretermitted. Because, whilst they  
may serve to excite local discontents,  
they cannot serve in any way to eluci-  
date the subject. They are of the class  
of arguments which orators sometimes  
take the liberty of using, not that they  
themselves place any reliance on them,  
but because they suppose them suited to  
the capacities of others, and in their  
best light can only be considered as  
arguments ad captandam vulgum—which  
using a little freedom of translation, may  
be rendered in English—a bait of chaff  
thrown out merely to catch YOUNG  
GULLS!"

This is no more than true, mortifying  
as it must be to the democrats to hear  
such sentiments expressed by the lips of  
their idol. They have been made the  
dukes of men, who only use them for  
their own convenience and then laugh at  
them for their folly. On the subject of  
the proposed alteration in the constitu-  
tion of Virginia, Mr. Giles thus feelingly  
speaks:

"Pause! good gentlemen! before you  
proceed. Pause! before you advance to  
this work of destruction. For, if you  
make one false step, it can never be re-  
traced! Revolutions, sirs, never go  
backwards! Why not then patiently  
bear the unparalleled practical blessings  
of the existing government, a little longer?  
Why not deliberate a little while,  
in this enviable state of tranquility and  
happiness? before you plunge us into  
a labyrinth of theories: all the mischievous  
effects of which, no human foresight can  
scan; but a small portion of human rea-  
son may, it is believed with certainty,  
point to enough, to deter any impartial  
reflecting mind from the attempt; and  
mind not too much enamoured with its  
own theories, to give fair play to the un-  
derstanding. Are you afraid, that by  
indulging us to deliberate a little longer  
in a state of happiness, our rage for in-  
novations should cool down; our senses  
should return; that we should become  
sensible of our indulgence, and postpone  
or forget altogether, the fanciful work of  
making ourselves happier? It would  
seem more rational to conclude that the  
moment of happiness would be the most  
inexpensive of all moments, to suggest  
appropriate remedies for fancied evils.  
It is only when real evils exist, that prop-  
er remedies, suited to such evils, can be  
applied. For, if you first fancy the evil,  
and then fancy the remedy, is it not  
more than probable that some error will  
creep into these fantastical exercises of  
the mind?"

Mr. Giles has found by experience  
the mischiefs attendant on such no-  
velties; he has seen his country their  
prey, and more than almost any other  
man of his day, he has contributed to  
such sufferings. But he does not like  
so well that his own theories should  
touch the free-hold of Virginia.

#### Wanted,

Two Boys to the Hattings Business.  
From 14 to 16 years of age, of good cha-  
racter and connections.

J. T. O. Wilbur.

February 18

#### ALEXANDRIA.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22.

#### FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON.

February 21.

A resolution was passed yesterday  
on motion of Mr. Goldsborough, in-  
structing the committee of commerce  
and manufactures to enquire whether  
any, and if any, what measures may  
be necessary to be adopted in conse-  
quence of the great failure of the corn  
crop in the past year. But what can  
be done? Monopoly will hold fast its  
accumulations; and the cupidity of  
commerce export our grain while a  
dollar can be gained by it, let it  
fare how it may with the rest of so-  
ciety.

The resolution for repealing the in-  
ternal taxes was all day before the  
house, and was argued and contest-  
ed with as resolute a spirit as any  
question that ever came before Con-  
gress. It is to be feared—perhaps I  
should speak more truly if I said that  
France, revolutionary France, which the  
struggles on this subject will set out up-  
session, and yet without any full re-  
sult being obtained upon the ques-  
tion, that no other business will be accom-  
plished. It is to be regretted that  
gentlemen do not come to some satis-  
factory compromise, and let the pub-  
lic business proceed.

This morning the battle will again  
commence, and be carried on till night  
shuts the scene, and to-morrow too,  
the sabbath will perhaps stop the strife  
for 24 hours; on Monday it will begin  
again, and so proceed to the end of  
the session, unless something shall oc-  
cur that I do not at present conceive,  
as the opposers of the repeal are re-  
solved to try the house upon all the  
import duties as well as the internal  
taxes. Each of the parties conscien-  
tiously thinks itself right & of course  
will in all probability obstinately ad-  
here to its purpose.

#### LITTLE JOHNNY, No. 2.

I told you, Mr. Snowden, that the  
"Glances" of my friend "Hard  
Times," in his Number One, on the  
"Town Council and their satellites,"  
were mere trifles, compared to what  
his No. 2, would develop; and you  
will now, I think, be satisfied, from  
the Herald of Friday last, that he has  
proved to every dispassionate mind  
like his and mine, that the measures  
pursued, have led to the total destruc-  
tion of the town and its inhabitants.  
Has he had not shown you that the  
government of the town is taken out  
of the hands of the people? Is there  
no one to aid us in, getting it  
back again? Is all patriotism dead?  
Are the people so callous to them-  
selves and their children to the thou-  
sandth generation, to permit any body  
to legislate or govern them, when they  
can so handsly do it themselves? Has  
he not shown that this junto, I mean  
this wicked council, has created  
needless offices, consequently need-  
less officers with very high salaries?  
Has he not given a comparative  
view between them and former  
officers [very much in point] in whose  
mild reign we lived in great tranqui-  
lity. Has he not proved beyond con-  
tradiction, that the council, mayor, or  
somebody, no matter what body, have  
pocketed all our money, and that they  
are supported by that queer set [not  
one or Hard Times he assured] who  
expect to participate in their wasteful  
expenditures. He convinces you that  
the business of the town has been a  
job, in which you, Mr. Printer, or at  
all events, he and myself, have had  
no share. It is certainly a bad job to  
consolidate the two Lancasterian  
schools, and to appropriate the one  
designed for female scholars to a se-  
minary for free blacks; but this is a  
trifle, light as air in the catalogue,  
compared with robbing the people of  
their birth right, wasting their money  
and filling up gullies, at an enormous  
expense, to save the necks of their hon-  
orable mayor, council and constables'  
night perambulations to disturb  
innocent and quiet gentlemen in their  
pastimes. But lack and well a day,  
these are but a merlist of grievances;  
we might pass them over, were it not  
for the calamities that have beset us.  
The people are at this moment, Mr.  
Printer, if not all dead, in the most  
excruciating torments. Hard Times  
tells you they have been "burned to  
cinders with red hot poker" by the  
mayor and council, and have been ac-  
tually "ground to powder," so that  
none are left except Hard Times, you  
and myself, most probably. Apropos,  
if you and your devil are still in exist-  
ence, pray publish this, it will tell  
Hard Times [for he is in the main a  
good sort of man, though a little petu-  
lent or so] that it is imprudent for  
him to quarrel with me, as he wishes

to do in his No. 3; I am no traitor to  
his cause, as every body can see, I  
wish only to paint in more vivid col-  
ors what he has mildly portrayed.  
He knows I am his very ditto, for I  
have closely followed his example.  
In my first number, I addressed my-  
self to the feelings, as I now do to the  
understanding of the people. Hush,  
friend Hard Times, if we quarrel,  
people will suspect we are not in ear-  
nest!

I have, Mr. Printer, for a week  
past, had a very severe cold, which  
has retarded my communication with  
you. Yet I think you may calculate  
safely on my number 15, between this  
and the 4th of March, for I will not  
desert the people, if peradventure  
there be any of them alive.

#### LITTLE JOHNNY.

#### COMMUNICATION.

It is not pleasant I must confess, to  
differ from all others; but in what I am  
about to state I do so from all I have  
seen. Yet although this be the case, I  
must let the matter out. I see all the  
community wish to make this to look  
like a warlike country, want to class the  
militia, to call our young men out in  
camp a certain portion of the year—  
Well, for my part I do not approve of it,  
and proceed to show the reasons why.

First—we shall be looked on with jea-  
lousy by other nations, who will think  
instead of the defensive we are acting  
for the offensive; and they will act cor-  
respondently.

Second—a camp is the greatest corrup-  
tor of youth.

Third—after between twenty and thirty  
years peace, wherein every one's at-  
tention was turned wholly to making  
money by all sorts of means, and war en-  
sued, although in the first disastrous, end-  
ed in such a way as to raise the American  
name to the highest pitch of fame, I  
would therefore, under a consciousness  
of strength, pursue just the old career.  
To be sure I would wish to see an en-  
crease of our navy, our arsenals well sup-  
plied with arms and ammunition of every  
sort, and let us have officers of every  
grade well ; but in regard to the  
classification I do not approve of it. Let  
us show our strength like the lion by  
lying carelessly down, depending on his  
own native courage and strength; or the  
Laciedemonians, who seemed to build a  
wall round their city, but depended on  
the inhabitants for their defence. This  
open boldness will show that we have no  
fears about us, and will prevent all jea-  
lousy of others. And pray what have we  
to fear if the English have been foiled,  
when coming flush from victory, after  
having conquered the conqueror of Eu-  
rope—and who now know it is their in-  
terest to be at peace with us—who, from  
the consanguinity between us, we some-  
how come into a way to forget all that,  
but certainly to forgive them every out-  
rage they may have committed upon  
us; and not a doubt remains with me  
that in all our commercial concerns they  
will be preferred to all others. Had we  
indeed lived near at hand to any of  
them precaution would be absolutely ne-  
cessary; but the distance we are off from  
all the fighting characters is ample secu-  
rity, I should suppose (especially as we  
are now so well known) for peace to be  
secured to us so long, as till that our re-  
putation will secure it forever after-  
wards.

Charleston, Feb. 15.

#### War between England and Spain.

We learn by the British brig Mohawk,  
captain John B. Aveille, arrived here  
yesterday from Havana, that the British  
frigate Active, which went from Jamaica  
some time since to demand the specie  
forcibly taken from the wreck of the  
British sloop of war Tay, by a Spanish  
government vessel, had returned without  
effecting the object of her mission. It  
was the current opinion at Havana,  
when the above vessel sailed, that a RUP-  
TURE between the two governments  
would grow out of this occurrence. Let-  
ters received in town yesterday from  
Havana, via Savannah, also mention  
that such a result was very probable.

Markets at Havana—Floor 22 a 23;  
Rice 10; Brown Sugar 8; White do 12 a  
14; Coffee 11 1-2 a 12; Molasses 7 bits  
per keg.

Departed this life, at his residence in  
Charles county Maryland, on the 12th  
of January last, the Reverend CLARK  
BROWN, rector of William and Mary  
parish, in said county.

He had recently removed from Swan-  
zey, New Hampshire; and had just en-  
tered on the duties of his new station  
when he was called to make his last re-  
move from this sublunary scene. His  
fidelity as a Pastor, his piety as a Chris-  
tian, and his amiable manners, endeared  
him strongly to the people of his charge,  
and has rendered his loss a subject of  
deep and lasting regret. But they mourn  
not as those without hope, since there is  
reason to believe that he has "finished  
his course with joy, and has obtained a  
Crown of Glory which fadeeth not away."  
He has left a widow and three children  
to the sympathies of his parishioners.

#### A few Shares of Mechanics

Bank Stock, for sale.

Apply to the Printer.

Jan 2



#### Port of Alexandria.

#### FROM THE EXCHANGE OFFICE HOUSE BOOKS.

February 21.

The weather for several days past, has  
assumed a moderate appearance. The ice  
in the Potomac is fast decaying, and we  
have every prospect of seeing in a short  
time our navigation free from its icy fet-  
ters.

#### Notice.

Runaway from the subscriber in Corn-  
wallis's Neck, a negro woman named  
Phillis, formerly the cook and market  
woman of Captain Richard Stonestreet,  
of Broad Creek—I have heard she wishes  
to get to Philadelphia. I will give One  
Hundred Dollars if taken in or about  
Philadelphia; Twenty five if taken in or  
about Baltimore, and Fifty Dollars if  
taken in Alexandria or neighborhood, and  
secured in any jail so that I get her a-  
gain. I heard lately she was seen in  
Washington with her free husband, who  
call himself William Adams.

Joseph N. Stonestreet.

February 22

#### Potomac and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery.

Second Class.

Will draw every Friday until further  
notice. Eighteenth days draw will  
take place this day, when the first drawn  
number will be entitled to 100 tickets,  
from Number 10,201 to 10,300 inclusive,  
with all the prizes they have or may  
draw.

Robert Gray.

February 21

#### By John Jackson & co.

On Monday 24th instant, at 10 o'clock  
At the auction Rooms, Union street,  
will be sold, without reserve, to close  
some consignments—

Few pieces elegant Brussels carpetings  
do Kidderminster do  
do stair and passage do

A few hearth rugs  
1 bale elegant colored bombazetts  
1 trunk calicoes  
1 case beautiful domestic cotton—on a  
credit of 60 days.

Broadcloths, fine and second quality  
Cassimeres, coatings, flannels  
Calicoes, muslins, pins, hosiery  
Madras & common hdkfs. cotton hdkfs.  
Elegant silk, camels hair, merino, and  
cotton shawls

2 cases elegant silk Hats  
2 brown do  
3 trunks ladies elegant silk sandals  
2 boxes Morocco shoes  
Boots

Invoice Glass Ware, Waiters, Combs, &c.  
1 case elegant Irish Linens  
Brown Linens, Sheetings, Curtains, Cot-  
ton Balls, morocco, pocket and mem-  
orandum Books, &c.

mould and dipt Candles, Chocolate,  
Brandy, Raisins, cotton Cards, gross and  
nett Herrings, Sugars, &c.

February 21

#### For Sale,

500 bushels Northern potatoes  
150 boxes Nova Scotia herrings first  
sort  
8 bbls nuts from Philadelphia, and  
a few boxes mould and dipt candles.  
Cheap for cash by  
Charles Norris.

Feb 1

#### For Sale,

Just landed from schooner New Packet  
from Boston  
50 barrels No 1 Mackerel  
50 boxes mould candles no 5 & 6  
90 do dipt do all sizes  
Apply to Daniel Barnes at Faxon,  
Metcalf and Co's counting room.  
December 21

Alexandria, Dec. 30, 1816.

Was committed to the jail of this  
county as a runaway, a negro man named  
William—he is about 5 feet 7 inches  
high—about made—about 36 years of age  
—was bought of a Mrs. Bowe of Maryland  
by a Mr. William Jones of Georgia and  
run from him in Virginia—The owner is  
requested to call and prove his property  
pay charges and take him away otherwise  
he will be disposed of as the law directs  
JAMES CAMPBELL, Jailor  
December 31 law2m

#### TO LET, OR FOR SALE,

The House lately occupied by William  
Wood, situated on Royal street, south  
of King street, three doors below the of-  
fice of Samuel Snowden. Possession  
may be had the first of February.  
Also, the House 1 at present occupy-  
ing the east of the above. For particu-  
lars enquire of  
Joseph Angles, Alexandria.  
January 28

#### John G Ladd & Co.

Have for sale the cargo of the brig  
George Washington, viz:  
20 tons bar iron  
50 bbls and 5 bbls NE rum  
8 bbls molasses  
25 barrels cider  
14 barrels sugar  
44 do tower's oil  
97 do and 134 bushels potatoes  
9 do apples  
13 kegs ginger  
90 bundles wrapping paper  
1 case bandana handkerchiefs  
3 boats  
800 pounds cassia  
8 dining sets India China, each 25  
pieces.  
January 17

#### Just Received

Price 3 dollars bound and lettered  
the new and complete life of our  
Blessed Lord & Saviour  
JESUS CHRIST.

Containing an authentic and full account  
of all the wonderful transactions, suffer-  
ings and death of our

#### GLORIOUS REDEEMER.

With the lines, acts and sufferings of his  
body Apostles, Evangelists, Disciples, &c.,  
including the lives of St. John the Bap-  
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tians, not to be found in any other work of  
the kind by

PAUL WRIGHT, D D

ALSO,

Price 2 dollars and a half bound; a Re-  
gister of Officers and Agents, Civil Milita-  
ry and Naval, in the service of the  
United States, on the 13th day of Sept.  
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solution of congress, of the 27th April  
1816.

R. GRAY.

February 12

#### For Sale,

A few casks Messrs Murdoch, Youille,  
Widdrop and Co's London Particular  
Madeira—Quality, fine

W HODGSON

Jan 31

#### Charles County Court,

August Term 1816.

On application to Charles County Court  
by petition in writing of John Budd, of  
Charles County, for the benefit of the act  
of assembly for the relief of sundry insol-  
vent debtors, passed at November session  
1805, & the several supplements thereto,  
on the terms mentioned therein, a sub-  
stator of his property and a list of his cre-  
ditors on oath, as far as he can ascertain  
them, accompanying his petition; and  
the court being satisfied by competent  
testimony, that the said John Budd has  
resided two years immediately preceding  
the time of his application, in the state of  
Maryland; it is thereupon ordered and  
adjudged, that the said John Budd, by  
causing a copy of this order to be inserted  
in some one of the newspapers edited in  
the district of Columbia, once a week for  
two months, before the third Monday in  
March next, give notice to his cre-  
ditors to APPEAR before the said  
court at the court house in Charlestown,  
on the said third Monday in March next  
for the purpose of recommending a ten-  
see for their benefit, and to show cause  
if any they have, why the said John Budd  
should not have the benefit of the act of  
assembly aforesaid, and the several sup-  
plements thereto, as prayed.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Clk.  
January 3 law2m

#### Public Sale

To be SOLD, for the best price they will  
bring:

Three valuable two story  
well finished Brick Tenements and Lots,  
on Saturday the 8th of March, at twelve  
o'clock, situated on the east side Wash-  
ington street, between Prince and Duke  
streets in the town of Alexandria, which  
were conveyed to me by Jonathan S. Hol-  
field and wife, in trust, to indemnify  
Andrew Schofield against certain en-  
dorsements by him made for the accom-  
modation of the said Jonathan. The a-  
bove tenements have a healthy situation  
and in a genteel neighborhood well cal-  
culated for private families; and will be  
sold without reserve. Terms made known  
at time of sale.

R. I. TAYLOR.

February 5

#### Was Found,

On Sunday night, near the Bank of Po-  
tomac, by a servant,

#### A Merino Shawl,

Which the owner may have by applying  
to the Printer, describing the same, pay-  
ing for this advertisement and leaving a  
small gratuity to the finder.  
February 18

#### Potomac and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery.

THE drawing of the Lottery will be  
recommended on Monday the third  
of February next.

Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewster,  
at the Commissioner's Office in George-  
town, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent  
of said Lottery, in Alexandria.

Elic Williams, Pres't.

December 27



# JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

BOOKSELLERS, KING STREET,  
Have just received from LEE'S PATENT MEDICINE STORE, No. 46 Maiden Lane, N. York.  
**A FRESH SUPPLY**  
Of the following genuine Medicines.  
**For the prevention and cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers, is recommended**  
**Hahn's Anti-Bilious Pills.**

THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor's feelings, in several parts of the West Indies, and the Southern & Middle States, particularly in N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk, Edenton, Wilmington, Charleston, and Savannah. The testimony of a number of persons at each of the above places can be adduced, who have reason to believe, that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives, when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy, founded on mere assertion.

It is not, indeed, presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience, for believing that a dose of these Pills, taken once in every two weeks, during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventative; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases, their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate, and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation, and of every age.

They are excellently adapted to carry off superfluous bile and prevent its morbid secretions—to restore & amend the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which is so often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold it taken on its first appearance—they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficacious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

**HAMILTON'S WORM DESTROYING LOZENGES.**  
Which have cured an immense number of persons of both sexes, of every age, and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from worms, and from obstructions or foulness in their stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever to others of similar titles so commonly complained of, as operating with violence; on the contrary, a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and perfectly in it contains nothing but what is constitutionally innocent, and is also mild in its operation, cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady or the tenderest infant of a week old, should no worms exist in the body; but will, without pain or griping, cleanse the stomach and bowels, of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms, and many fatal disorders. The lozenges are particularly efficacious in carrying off all gross humours and eruptions, feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and mildest purgative that can be used on any occasion.

**DESCRIPTION OF WORMS.**  
And the symptoms by which they are known:

Worms which infest the human body, are chiefly of four kinds, viz.—The Terebra, or large round worm; the Ascarides, or small maw-worm; the Cucurbitina, or short, flat, white worm; and lastly, the Tænia, or tape-worm, so called from its resemblance to tape. This is often many yards long, and is full of ovis. It is most hurtful and most difficult to remove.

Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite, sometimes loathing food, and sometimes voracious; purging, with slimy & fetid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; slow fever, with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face coated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms, should have immediate recourse to Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, which have been constantly attended with success, in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent the vomiting and purging of chills—a dreadful disorder, which annually destroys the health of the inferior part of our citizens.

**Hamilton's Elixir.**  
Sovereign remedy for Colds, obstinate Coughs, Asthmas, sore throats, and approaching Consumptions, and most disorders of the breast and lungs.

**Hahn's genuine Eye Water.**  
A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of natural weakness or of accident.

**Toothache Drops.**  
The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

**Lee's Ointment for the Itch.**  
Warranted an infallible remedy at once application, may be used with perfect safety on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

**Lee's Infallible Ague and Fever Drops.**  
For the cure of agues, remittent, and intermitting fevers.

**Hahn's true & genuine Gwynn Corn Plaster.**  
At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

**Lawson & Fowle**  
HAVE FOR SALE,  
The cargo of ship Haymaker, captain Weeks, from Boston, of  
75 tons plaster Paris  
7 hhd New-England rum  
10 bbls do  
100 boxes mould candles  
20 do brown soap  
100 demijohns  
3 bales low priced broadcloths.

**FOR BOSTON,**  
The Brig  
**Wanderer,**  
Alexander Newcomb, master,  
Now loading, will sail on Sunday morning, and take 300 barrels freight, if offered immediately.

**Dec 5**  
Apply as above.

**For New-Orleans,**  
The brig Two Brothers, James Holmes, master; will sail in 8 or 10 days; is a first rate vessel & in complete order. For freight or passage, apply to the Master on board at Dean's wharf, or to

**Lawson and Fowle.**  
**December 17**

**TO RENT,**  
The large and commodious three story brick Warehouse, now in the possession of Dodge and Kettell, lower end of King street. Possession may be had the 20th of February next. Apply to  
**Griffith and Brawner.**  
**December 5**

**Rum, Molasses, New England Sugar & Tea.**  
**JOHN G. LADD & CO.**  
Offer for sale the Cargo of Brig Economy from Boston, viz.  
54 hhd N. E. rum  
56 bbls N. E. do  
9 hhd molasses  
57 bbls Muscovado sugars  
68 tons Russia and Swedes iron as sorted and square  
14 bbls tanners oil  
20 tons plaisth. Paris  
1 hhd coffee  
Hingham boxes, tubs, covers, &c.

**FOR BOSTON,**  
The good Brig Economy, Josiah Farrow, jun. master For freight of 400 barrels apply to  
**John G. Ladd & Co.**  
**Dec 28**

**JUST RECEIVED,**  
Few kegs Prime Richmond manufactured  
**Chewing Tobacco**  
**A. B. DICK.**  
January 30

**For Boston,**  
The good Brig Catherine,  
N. Crawford, master; will take 500 barrels on low terms if offered immediately.

**ALSO,**  
**For Newburyport,**  
The good schr. Lydia, J. Brown, master; for freight of 300 barrels. Apply to  
**John G. Ladd & Co.**  
**Dec. 11**

**For Bermuda,**  
The substantial & fast sailing  
**Brig Benefactor,**  
Howard master, more than half her cargo is now engaged, and she is to sail as soon as the ice breaks. For freight of 300 barrels, or passage. Enquire of  
Mordecai Miller, or  
Thomas H. Howland.  
**February 18**

**For Charleston, S. C.**  
The new and fast sailing  
**Schooner Augustus,**  
Nye, Master,  
She will sail early next week, and take a few hundred barrels at a low freight. Two or three passengers can be well accommodated. Apply to  
**Thomas H. Howland.**  
**12 mo 19**

**For New Orleans,**  
The ship Potomac, Charles Bradford, master; will sail on the 20th of the ensuing month, weather permitting. For freight or passage, having excellent accommodations, apply to  
**John Janney and Co.**  
**1 mo 20**

**Freight Wanted**  
The schooner Two Brothers, in complete order, 300 barrels burthen, will take a freight on moderate terms, for Baltimore, Norfolk or Richmond. Enquire of the master on board, or Mr. John Green.  
**February 18**

**NOTICE.**  
The subscriber intending to remove from this place in a short time, requests all those indebted to him by bond, note or open account, to come forward & settle them up to first of January 1817. He will dispose of the Houses & Lot he now occupies, and possession given the 15th October next. The dwelling house is calculated for the accommodation of a family, with all the necessary out houses, and a very productive garden, subject to a small ground rent—the stand for retailing goods, or purchase of produce, is inferior to none in town. It is deemed unnecessary to give a more minute description, as it is presumed those wishing to purchase will view the premises. He will also sell a quarter acre Lot and Dwelling House thereon, near the court house. The above property will be disposed of on accommodating terms to those wishing to purchase.  
**GEORGE SMITH**  
Dumfries, January 1—16

**Elegant carpeting**  
For sale at Auction Prices, by  
**JOHN JACKSON & CO.**  
1 bale Brussels  
1 Kidderminster  
1 Stair and Passage—and  
Imperial Hearth Rugs, new and beautiful Patterns.  
**January 14**

**The Gentleman and Lady's POCKET ALMANAC**  
AND  
Annual Pocket Remembrancer for 1817  
Are just received for sale by  
**James Kennedy & Son.**  
**Nov 19**

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The cellars are large, floored and fitted up in the neatest manner, equal if not superior to any in the district; the floor over which, is finished in the best style, and has been occupied for a length of time pass as a fancy store, consisting of China, Delf, Glass and Hardware. The cellars as a Wine Grocery and Spirit Store, &c.

The purchaser can have the goods on hand, which comprise a good assortment and have been carefully selected at cost. On the house, so far, there has been expended and paid upwards of \$12,000. Nearly 16 feet of the lot in front remains to be built on.

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He would wish, also, to sell, on a credit, or would barter for goods, or property in the district—two squares of ten acres each, in the town of Jefferson, Va. Both squares join in with the lot square, on which has been erected the market-house, court house, jail, &c. The squares are divided into half squares by 38 feet alleys, and to each half square there is attached 8 acres of land immediately adjoining the town square, and to each square the remaining 16 acres, further distant. This settlement is in a flourishing state, being the only Grand, a short distance from Lake Erie, the soil rich and of first rate quality.

Should he not be able to effect the above stated in a short time, on the fair terms, he would have no objection to take a partner in trade, who might one third or one half the interest holds in the concern, would reap a proportionable part of the profits in assisting to conduct the business.

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**ALSO,**  
One other tract in the same county within three miles of Occoquan, lying on Sandy Run, containing 47 acres—one half in cultivation and under good fence, the remainder heavily timbered. There are on the premises an old framed dwelling house and out houses and an apple orchard of eighty bearing trees. Any person inclining to purchase can view the premises and know the terms by applying to the subscriber who lives near them.

**Thomas Gossom.**  
**November 30**

**Little River Turnpike Stock WANTED;**  
For which cash will be paid at the  
**Fire Insurance Office.**  
**February 13**

**FOR SALE.**  
On liberal Terms,  
A NUMBER of Houses and Lots at the lower end of Fairfax street, and the whole a part of the low ground marsh adjacent to Jones's Point. Apply to  
**J. D. Simms**  
**Dec 23**

**Orphan's Court,**  
Alexandria County,  
Feb. Term, 1817.  
Ordered, That the executors of John May, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.  
**Copy—Test,**  
**A. MOORE, Reg. Wills**  
This is to give Notice,  
That the subscribers, of Alexandria County, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of John May, late of said county deceased. All persons having claims against said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereon passed by the Orphans' Court, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of August next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.  
Given under our hands this 16th day of February, 1817.  
**David Ross,**  
**Jonah Abbott,**  
Executors of John May  
**Feb 10**

**Alexandria Morocco Mantory.**  
At the Corner of Oronoko & Main streets near the Fish wharf.  
Where may be had, Morocco in Men's boots, Muscovado and Andalusian Kid of all colors for ladies' shoes, makers' and hatters' Lining "Shawls" and spinning wool. The above articles manufactured in the best manner by the subscribers.  
**John D. Beckett & Co.**  
N. B. All kinds of Silk stockings dyed in the best manner.  
**November 7**

**FOR RENT or**  
The subscribers General Ligan, Amsterdam, a lot of Bolting City, which will store of Mr. Jam  
**October 6**

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